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**AMEND Senate Bill No. 1798\***

**House Bill No. 1884**

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by deleting all language after the enacting clause and substituting instead the following:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 54-14-102(a), is amended by designating the existing language as subdivision (a)(1) and adding the following new subdivision:

(2) If a person who already possesses a private easement or right-of-way of less than twenty-five feet (25') granted pursuant to this chapter determines that additional land is needed for the purpose of extending utility lines, including, but not limited to, electric, natural gas, water, sewage, telephone, or cable television, to the enclosed land, then the person must file a new petition requesting additional land. Upon receipt of a petition requesting additional land for the extension of utility lines, the court may, upon a showing of good cause, grant the petitioner's request and direct a jury of view to lay off and mark an additional area for utility lines; provided, that the total private easement or right-of-way does not exceed fifteen feet (15') in counties with a metropolitan form of government or twenty-five feet (25') in all other areas.

SECTION 2. This act takes effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it.



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**AMEND Senate Bill No. 2016**

**House Bill No. 1847\***

by deleting all language after the enacting clause and substituting instead the following:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 37, Chapter 2, Part 4, is amended by adding the following as a new section:

(a) Notwithstanding any provision of this chapter to the contrary, non-governmental independent contractors that contract with or enter into any agreements with the department of children's services for the provision of foster care continuum services to children in the department's custody shall be granted limited tort exposure. This grant of limited tort exposure shall be provided only when the non-governmental independent contractors are providing by contract or agreement foster care continuum services to children in the department's custody.

(b) In performing or providing such foster care continuum services, the non-governmental independent contractors are deemed to be the functional equivalent of the department of children's services. The non-governmental independent contractors are performing or providing these foster care continuum services in the stead of the department of children's services and by such are fulfilling a public purpose that is authorized to be performed by the department of children's services. The department's contracting party for the provision of foster care continuum services will not be afforded any limits to its tort exposure for gross negligence in the performance of the contract or agreement.

(c) In performing or providing such foster care services, the monetary limits of tort exposure for the department of children's services contracting party or party to the



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agreement shall be the same as the limits set for the department of children's services in § 9-8-307; provided that a claim against the contractor arising from the contractor's provision of foster care continuum services to children in the department's custody shall be filed with a court of competent jurisdiction and shall not be heard by the Tennessee claims commission.

SECTION 2. This act takes effect July 1, 2022, the public welfare requiring it, and applies to actions arising on or after that date.

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**AMEND Senate Bill No. 1844**

**House Bill No. 1765\***

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by deleting all language after the enacting clause and substituting instead the following:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 29, Chapter 34, Part 2, is amended by adding the following as a new section:

(a) As used in this section:

(1) "Charitable organization" means a charitable unit of a religious or civic group that is exempt from taxation under 26 U.S.C. § 501, including those supported wholly or partially by private donations and registered with the secretary of state; and

(2) "Services" means:

- (A) Providing food;
- (B) Providing housing; or
- (C) Providing shelter from adverse weather.

(b) A charitable organization providing services to the community is not liable for a loss, damages, injury, or death that results from providing services, unless the charitable organization's conduct in providing services constitutes gross negligence or willful and wanton misconduct.

SECTION 2. This act takes effect July 1, 2022, the public welfare requiring it.



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**AMEND Senate Bill No. 2448\***

**House Bill No. 2671**

by deleting all language after the enacting clause and substituting instead the following:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 14-5-102, is amended by deleting the language "July 1, 2022" wherever it appears and substituting instead "January 1, 2023".

SECTION 2. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 9-8-307(j), is amended by deleting the language "July 1, 2022" wherever it appears and substituting instead "January 1, 2023".

SECTION 3. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 29-20-205(10), is amended by deleting the language "July 1, 2022" wherever it appears and substituting instead "January 1, 2023".

SECTION 4. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 29-20-310(f)(4), is amended by deleting the language "July 1, 2022" wherever it appears and substituting instead "January 1, 2023".

SECTION 5. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 49-7-159, is amended by deleting the language "July 1, 2022" wherever it appears and substituting instead "January 1, 2023".

SECTION 6. This act takes effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it.



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